

good will or any other intangible element shall not be considered in determining the amount to be paid.

Appeal to Territorial
supreme court.
Procedure.

Either the association or the purchaser may appeal to the Supreme Court of the Territory of Hawaii from the decision of such commission by filing a written notice of appeal with the commission within five days after the decision is rendered. It shall thereupon be the duty of the commission immediately to certify up to the supreme court the record of its proceedings, showing in such certificate the valuation claimed by the association, the value claimed by the purchaser, and the valuation as determined by the commission. Such certificate shall be accompanied by copies of all papers, documents and evidence upon which the decision of the commission was based, and a copy of such decision. Upon any such appeal, the supreme court may, in its behalf, take or require further evidence to be introduced by either party and the said court shall have power to confirm, decrease, or increase the said award. Within six months after the final determination of the purchase price as aforesaid, the same shall be paid to the association, and thereupon the franchise granted hereby shall cease and determine, and all the property of said association shall become the property of such purchaser without any further conveyance, but said association shall make all further conveyances as may be desired by the purchaser and approved by said commission or said court on appeal.

Franchise to cease on
final determination and
payment of price.

Amendment.

SEC. 16. The Congress of the United States may at any time alter, amend, or repeal this Act.

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CHAP. 203.—An Act To provide for the inspection of the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Virginia.

Petersburg, Va., bat-
tle fields.
Commission created.

Army Engineer of-
ficer.

United States Civil
War veteran.

Confederate States
Civil War veteran.

Qualifications of com-
mission.

Inspection and report
on feasibility of pre-
serving, etc., for his-
torical study, etc.

Amount authorized
for expenses.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a commission is hereby created, to be composed of the following members, who shall be appointed by the Secretary of War:

(1) A commissioned officer of the Corps of Engineers, United States Army;

(2) A veteran of the Civil War, who served honorably in the military forces of the United States; and

(3) A veteran of the Civil War, who served honorably in the military forces of the Confederate States of America.

SEC. 2. In appointing the members of the commission created by section 1 of this Act the Secretary of War shall, as far as practicable, select persons familiar with the terrain of the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Virginia, and the historical events associated therewith.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the commission, acting under the direction of the Secretary of War, to inspect the battle fields of the siege of Petersburg, Virginia, in order to ascertain the feasibility of preserving and marking for historical and professional military study such fields. The commission shall submit a report of its findings to the Secretary of War not later than December 1, 1925.

SEC. 4. There is authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$3,000 in order to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved, February 11, 1925.